



EDITORIAL COMMENT.

CALLS FOR SHOW DOWN.

By a move that came as a complete surprise, President Wilson, on Wednesday, addressed a peace note to all of the belligerents. The note is the most momentous move since the war began and its publication was received with profound surprise. The President acted on his own motion, outside of the beaten paths of red-tape diplomacy. The note is in a most friendly spirit and yet it seeks to find out what the nations of Europe are fighting for and what they are willing to state as a basis of peace. He suggests that they may be nearer to peace than they themselves think if there could be some exchange of ideas with friendly neutral nations. While he disavows any desire to play a personal part in the matter, he nevertheless makes it perfectly clear that the United States is both greatly affected by the continuance of the war and profoundly interested in the terms of peace. The United States cannot be indifferent to the agreements reached in the settlement of the war. It serves notice, in a document written by a statesman, that the United States will insist on having a hand in European affairs, especially when those affairs are not localized but general in extent. The message marks the most radical change this nation has ever made in a foreign policy. There is only one other document in American history relative to our foreign affairs comparable with this message. That is the declaration of independence. If the lead taken by President Wilson bears fruit, and it is bound to bring forth replies that may mean much or little—he will at once stand forth as the world's most eminent figure in constructive statesmanship. Few documents in American history were ever fraught with more momentous possibilities.

No paper next Tuesday.

For the 38th time, we are here to wish our readers a Merry Christmas.

What California did to Hughes, the weather clerk has done to Kentucky three times in a week.

It is to be a regular old-fashioned Christmas with plenty of snow and sleigh bells jingling.

If you can't buy a turkey you can at least afford a rabbit. Have a merry Christmas.

A young Adair county couple looped 100 miles on a mule and made the return trip a bridle tour.

All the local churches will take up collections tomorrow for the starving Armenians.

England has decided to release the prisoners who were interned after the Irish rebellion.

The national prohibition constitutional amendment, materially altered from the form in which it was reported to the House, was ordered favorably reported by the Senate Judiciary Committee by a vote of 13 to 3 Senators Culbertson, Reed and Brandegee voted against it.

A commission of election to congress was issued Tuesday by Governor Craig of N. C. to Zebulon Weaver, democratic candidate in the Raleigh district, whose election has been contested in the courts by Representative James J. Britt, republican. The governor made out the commission an hour after the state supreme court had overruled Britt's

ENTIRE LOAD ENTERS GROIN

Sam Nichols Dangerously Injured While Hunting Rabbits.

HIT HIS KNIFE AND KEYS

Gun Goes Off When Trigger Accidentally Catches on Brush.

While attempting to run a rabbit from beneath a pile of brush in a gully yesterday evening about five o'clock, Sam Nichols, of District 3, was dangerously injured when his gun accidentally discharged, the full load entering his right groin. A knife and a bunch of keys that were in the right pocket of Mr. Nichols' trousers were driven into the wound by the force of the explosion of the gun.

The accident occurred on the farm of W. C. Giles, of District 3, near the state line, where Mr. Nichols was hunting. The wounded man had cocked his gun and left it lying on the edge of the gully, it is understood, while he got off the brush in an effort to frighten the rabbit out. In attempting to reach his gun and pull it to him, the trigger accidentally caught in a piece of the brush, exploding the shell. Mr. Nichols had held of the barrel of the gun, with the muzzle pointing toward him.

Mr. Nichols was not found until about thirty minutes after the accident. There was no one hunting with him at the time. A negro passing nearby saw the man lying in the field and went up to find out what was the matter. On discovering the bleeding, gaping wound, he immediately rushed to notify Mr. Giles of the accident. The latter took Mr. Nichols to his home, where he was cared for until the arrival of Dr. Stroube, of Edgemoor, Ky., who dressed the wound.

Just the extent of the danger could not be determined. The doctor feared that some of the shot had entered the abdomen, which would render the case more complicated. Mr. Nichols was reported resting as comfortably as could be expected this morning. Tobacco Leaf Chronicle, Thursday.

Young Nichols died yesterday from his wound.

Methodist Church.

Rev. Lewis Powell, D. D. Pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.—J. H. Cate, Superintendent. Men's Bible Class, Ira L. Smith, Teacher. Woman's Bible Class—Mrs. Lizzie Clark, Teacher. Primary Department—Miss Mary Walker, Supt. Intermediate Classes for all grades and ages.

Dr. Powell will preach at 10:45 a. m., on "A Christmas Message, and Our Advent Hope," at 7 p. m., on "King's and Princess Paying Homage to Christ."

Epworth League at 6 p. m.—A special Christmas program will be rendered with no leader.

Christmas Sunday should bring out all the people to church.

It is ideal winter, and the season lays upon us all to be in our places on Christmas Sunday. Don't fail to claim your place in the Sunday school and congregation on Sunday.

In superseding the brave old General Joffre, the only man who has licked the Kaiser in a fair fight, the French have made him adviser of the war council with the rank of a field

LANSING'S WAR TALK

Caused So Much Excitement That It Had To Be Modified.

ALL STOCKS WENT WILD

President Gave Out His Own Interpretation of the Paper.

Washington, Dec. 22.—President Wilson's note to the belligerents urging discussion of peace was officially interpreted as not bearing any threat that the United States might be forced to enter the war because of the continued invasion of its rights by the warring Powers on both sides.

That his statement yesterday in which he said the United States "is being drawn near the verge of war" did not intend to convey the threat that the United States might be forced into the war was the supplementary statement issued late yesterday afternoon by Secretary Lansing after a conference at the White House with President Wilson. The misconstruction of Secretary Lansing's first statement explaining the reasons behind the President's notes to the belligerents created intense excitement in Washington and the State Department was besieged all day long with diplomatic representatives of the various nations. The attitude of the Teutonic representatives toward the proposal of the United States remained unchanged, but on the part of the Entente Allies' diplomats a much kinder feeling was apparent, and it is certain that friendly and respectful action by the Governments will be urged by them.

The stock market went through the most exciting day in its history with one exception as a result of President Wilson's and Secretary Lansing's first explanatory statement of its intent. Prices were slaughtered to the extent of 5, 10 and 15 points and the day's sales amounted to 3,175,000 shares.

B. M. ARNETT DIES

Former State Senator Represented 22nd District in 1910-'12.

Nicholsville, Ky., Dec. 22.—B. M. Arnett, member of the Kentucky Senate during the legislative session of 1910 and 1912, died at his home here following a long illness. He was superintendent of the church Sunday-school here for forty years, and was a deacon in the church. He and his son, L. W. Arnett, of Covington, were members of the Senate at the same time and in the various clashes between the "wets" and "drys" the father always took an active part in behalf of the latter, while the son aligned himself with the "wet" element. This was the first instance in the history of Kentucky of father and son being members of the same senate.

NO PAPER TUESDAY.

Contrary to the custom of many years, the Kentuckian will omit an issue during the holidays. There will be no paper next Tuesday. In order to get out one it would be necessary for the printers to work on Christmas day and we have continued to ship an issue.

BIG FIGHT IN DOBRUDJA

Teutons Driven From Heights In One Region of Rumania.

TRENCH RAIDS IN WEST

Invaders Meet With Resistance in Rumania Proper —Bad Weather—

In the Dobrudja region of Rumania, where the Russo-Rumanian forces have turned upon the invaders, the Teutonic Allies have been driven from heights in the region of Balabanks and Dachkoi, and the Russians and the Rumanians now are disputing with them in a violent battle the positions of other positions along this line. In Rumania proper the Teutons are advancing along both sides of the Inau-Racovitza road, but are meeting with steady resistance from the Russians and Rumanians.

Except for the battles in Rumania, in the Carpathians southeast of the Kimpolung-Jacobi railway, where the Russians have captured several heights, and at various points on the Russian front where attacks by the Germans, little infantry activity is being displayed.

The artillery duels have been spirited at various points along the French front.

Snow and rain are falling in Macedonia, and aside from an engagement in the Cerna River bend region no infantry fighting has taken place.

LIGHTNING HITS CLARKSVILLE.

During the storm Thursday night lightning struck the postoffice building in Clarksville, demolished the cupola and started a fire that was promptly extinguished. Some of the clerks were knocked down and the lights were put out. The entire light plant was temporarily put out of commission. The electric shock lighted up the telephone office and frightened the girls but the damage was not great.

GRANTED BAIL.

Circuit Judge C. H. Bush on Thursday granted bail to Ewing Wood, who killed Joe Stewart. Bond was fixed at \$5,000. Stewart was killed on the night of Nov. 7th, and Wood has been in jail since that time. The prisoner executed bond yesterday afternoon.

Bacon-Slack.

Mrs. Belle Slack, of Trenton, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Hazel, and Philip Edloe Bacon, of Lexington, Ky. The marriage will take place in the Methodist church, Trenton, Dec. 28.

Three Speeches Dec. 28.

Lexington, Dec. 22.—William Jennings Bryan, who comes to Kentucky Dec. 28 to speak in Lexington and to make the feature address to the Democratic Forward Movement at Louisville, will stop first at Somerset, where he will lecture Wednesday night on the "League of Nations War."

After spending the day in Somerset, he will dress the

SOLD TO UNITED STATES

Danish West Indies at Last Belong To Uncle Sam.

50 YEARS OF TRADING

United States Will Pay \$25,000,000 For Islands-Lands-thing Votes O. K.

Copenhagen, Dec. 22.—Both houses of the Danish Parliament now have approved the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States. The Landsting, or upper house, voted favorably upon the proposition 40 to 19. The bill for ratification of the treaty providing for the sale was adopted by the Folkething yesterday.

Approval by Denmark's Parliament of the treaty by which the United States will acquire the Danish West Indies opens the way for a prompt exchange of ratification between the two Governments and consummation of negotiations that have been in progress intermittently since the Civil War.

The United States Senate already has given its approval, and as soon as the formal exchanges have taken place the Administration will press measures in Congress appropriating the purchase price, \$25,000,000 and providing for the institution of an American territorial Government on the islands.

American naval strategists for years have regarded possession of this little archipelago, lying fifty miles east of Porto Rico, as absolutely necessary to prevent any European Power from acquiring it and moreover to establish there a great naval base and coaling station for the United States fleet. Commercially the islands are regarded as of comparatively little value. There are three of them, St. Thomas, St. John and St. Croix, and on their 142 square miles live some 33,000 people, nine-tenths of whom are negroes employed on sugar cane plantations.

WANTED TO MARRY

Couple Ride Muleback and in Buggy 130 Miles at Behest of Dan Cupid.

Glasgow, Ky., Dec. 22.—George Roach, 18 years old, and Mattie Gabbard, 15, of Weed, Adair county, passed through Glasgow on their way to Lafayette, Tenn., where they were married. They stole away from their homes about dark and reached here about daylight, making the trip of thirty-five miles on a mule. The bride-to-be riding behind the boy. On account of not being properly dressed they were almost frozen when they reached here after their long mule back ride. They secured a buggy here and completed the trip.

They returned the buggy, and mounting the mule started through a blizzard for their home. The bride expressed herself as highly pleased with the trip. They will have traveled about 100 miles when they reach their home over the roughest country in the thermom

ROLLING IN WEALTH

Farm Products, Especially Tobacco, Are Still Going Higher.

LOOSE FLOOR SALES LIGHT

Weather Militates Against The Handling of The Weed.

The sales on the floors this week were very small, less than 100,000 pounds. What was sold went into the clouds, the average for the week being \$10.48. There never has been such a feeling of optimism here in regard to the tobacco situation. The types offered for sale are the poorest of the crops they represent, no real good tobacco being offered.

The following are the ruling prices:

LOOSE FLOORS.
Week Ending, Dec. 14, 1916.
Sales for week \$4,026 lbs.
Sales for season 385,010 lbs.
Sales for same date
Average for this week \$10.48
Average for this season \$9.69

Quotations are as follows:
Trash \$8.00 to \$9.00.
Com Lugs \$9.00 to \$9.50
Med Lugs \$9.50 to \$10.00
Good Lugs \$9.50 to \$10.00
Fine Lugs \$10.00 to \$11.50
Low Leaf \$10.00 to \$10.50
Com Leaf \$10.50 to \$11.00
Medium Leaf \$11.00 to \$11.50.
Good Leaf \$11.50 to \$14.00
Fine Leaf none offered \$14.50
H. H. ABERNATHY,
Secretary.

The factories and rehandlers continue to grab crop after crop of the best tobacco on all sides, paying at least \$2 more than a month ago. Several crops have been sold at \$12.50 round.

DOUBLE WEDDING CHRISTMAS EVE

Brides-to-be Reside In North Christian—Grooms-to-be of Hopkins.

A double wedding is scheduled to take place to-morrow at the residence of Mr. J. R. Collins, in North Christian. The contracting parties are Lee Hamby and Miss Maude Collins and George E. Alexander and Miss Essie C. Cranor. Mr. Hamby is a son of Jackson Hamby, near Hamby station, Hopkins county, and Mr. Alexander is a son of L. J. Alexander, also of Hopkins county. Miss Collins is a daughter of Mr. J. R. Collins and Miss Cranor is a daughter of Mr. Grant Cranor, of this county.

ATHENAEUM CHAUTAUQU.

Five members of the Athenaeum have offered their services to the Public Library for a benefit to be given after the holidays to raise a fund to furnish the assembly room library. An entertainment

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SATURDAY, DEC. 23

Charging that funds entrusted to its
care have been extravagantly and in
some cases illegally expended by the
management of the Kentucky Chil-
dren's Home Society, a suit filed in
the Jefferson circuit court at Louis-
ville by M. M. Logan, attorney gen-
eral of Kentucky, asks the removal of
the society's superintendent, George
L. Sehon, and the return of the funds
alleged to have been illegally expen-
ded. The petition filed in connection
with the suit alleges that more than
fifty per cent of the public funds ap-
propriated by the state for the main-
tenance of the society, over a period
of years, has been expended in sal-
aries. The salary of Supt. Sehon, it
is alleged, has been unduly large, and
the court is asked to force him to re-
turn to the society the difference be-
tween the salary he has drawn and
an amount which the court shall fix
as reasonable. Return of funds
amounting to several thousand dollars
alleged to have been illegally expen-
ded by Supt Sehon in attending con-
ventions, in entertaining visitors from
other states, and in attending sessions
of the Kentucky general assembly is
also asked. Mr. Sehon's defense
from similar charges heretofore was
that the institution is supported in
part by public contributions and that
the items referred to were paid from
the funds donated.

Of twenty Belgians who had been
sentenced to death by a German
court-martial at Hasselt, eleven were
shot last Saturday. Forty-four other
persons were sentenced to various
terms of penal servitude and sixty-
four others ordered deported to Ger-
many. The report adds that another
court-martial was begun to hear the
cases of 192 Belgians charged with
espionage. The frontier correspond-
ent of the Amsterdam Telegraf as-
serts that many of these Belgians who
were deported to the Somme front
were killed or very seriously wound-
ed recently during a fight by French
machine guns.

Mayfield has put a license of \$50 a
day on traveling opticians who make
periodical trips to the city. A license
tax of this sort is protection pure and
simple that could hardly be expected
by dealers who do not themselves pay
license. Such a license is of course
prohibitive and it is very doubtful if
an ordinance singling out one class
for its benefits would hold in the
courts.

Scotty Allen, three times winner of
the Alaskan sweepstakes with a team
of dogs, has established a new re-
cord for speedy traveling in the frozen
north by making the round trip
from Nome to Valdez in a little more
than ten days by means of an "aero
sled." By dog teams, the trip is usu-
ally made in about eighty days.

Wheat values averaged somewhat
lower Wednesday mainly because of
reports that new efforts for peace
were to be expected. The market
closed heavy, 44c lower, with May
at \$1.61 1/2 and July at \$1.35 1/2.

Veteran Guard.

Gurmuk Singh, the guardian of the
sacred book of "Nanak," the Sikh
Bible, is close upon 100 years of age,
but still performs his duties at the
Lion temple of the Sikhs, in Hyder-
abad, where the sacred book is kept.
He is still in service with the

PAPER MAKERS
GIVEN SURPRISE

Federal Trade Commission
Has Large Amount of In-
formation About Business.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The Feder-
al Trade Commission reopened hear-
ings here in its investigation in the
rise in news print paper prices, pre-
sented facts gathered by its investi-
gators in the plants of American and
Canadian manufacturers. Producers,
jobbers and paper users were heard.
Tables prepared by the commission
were brought out at the hearing to
show the following conditions:

Both Canadian and United States
averages show no increase in cost of
paper manufacture in the first half of
1916 as compared with 1915.

Selling expenses in the first half of
1916 were lower than in 1915, and
profits per ton were higher. The per-
cent of profit on investment, figured
on book investment, increased from
3.92, per cent, in 1915 for nineteen
companies, to 9.34 per cent, for fifteen
companies in the first half of 1916.
Rates of profit on the cost of invest-
ment would have been even higher
could the figures have been obtained.

Market prices increased in 1916 a
much greater extent than contract
prices.

CANADIAN MILLS' WORK.

Canadian mills are manufacturing
print paper at about \$4.50 a ton less
than American mills.

Both production and imports in-
creased in the first half of 1916 over
1915 and 1914. After deducting ex-
ports, the quantity available for do-
mestic consumption in the first half
of 1916 was 17 per cent greater than
in the first half of 1915, and 9 per
cent greater than in the second half
of that year. Deliveries, however,
more than took care of the increase,
and stocks on hand at all points de-
creased 10,340 tons in the first half
of 1916.

STATISTICAL DATA.

The statistical data presented by the
commission, phases of which those
who testified were asked to explain,
concluded with a series of questions
as to possible remedies. They were:

What measure can be adopted to
prevent prices from rising to prohibi-
tive levels?

Is co-operation between large pub-
lishers and manufacturers feasible?

Would an embargo on exports be
advisable?

Would publishers profit in the long
run by refraining from entering into
contracts covering a long period of
time at a fixed price?

Can small publishers profit by
adopting the plan of co-operative
buying?

At the outset of the hearing it de-
veloped that the commission had sur-
prised the paper makers by the amount
and scope of information it had gather-
ed since the last hearing, and upon
which it asked the paper manufac-
turers for explanations.

The manufacturers protested vigor-
ously that the proceeding was unfair,
that it was not such treatment as they
would receive in court and asked for
an opportunity to confer among them-
selves. The commission held decision
on the point in abeyance while it pro-
ceeded to hear representatives of the
publishers.

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the Firing Line

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in life you must know
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VALUABLE AS GREEN FODDER

Opinion of Growers of Sudan Grass Is
That It Will Largely Take Place
of Millet and Sorghum.

Most of the earlier accounts of Sud-
an grass failed to make clear that
this new crop is nothing more or less
than a fine-stemmed, non-saccharine
sorghum. It has most of the charac-
teristics of the ordinary sorghum, and
its requirements as regards soil and
climate are similar except that the Sud-
an grass differs from sorghums by
maturing earlier and having such fine
stems that it is readily cured into hay.

Experiments made at the Kentucky
state station in 1915 produced a crop
of eight tons per acre of dry hay in



Sudan Grass in Texas.

two cuttings. This exceptionally high
yield was made possible by unusually
fertile soil and good culture. The
plots were drilled about the middle of
May, using 20 to 25 pounds of seed to
the acre, seeded with an ordinary
grain drill.

The first crop was cut when the Sud-
an grass was fully headed, and the
second crop in time to avoid the first
frost.

Where Sudan grass has been grown
for two or three years it is the opin-
ion of the growers that it will largely
take the place of millet and sorghum
for fodder purposes, and also be valu-
able as a green fodder to cut for sup-
plementing pasture.

SELECTION OF CHOICE SEED

Crops Don't "Run Out," Say Experts
at Ames—Fanning and Grading
Are of Importance.

The old idea that farm crops "run
out" may safely be looked upon as a
humbug, say the farm crops men at
the Iowa experiment station at Ames;
that is, if reasonable care is given to
the selection of good seed and proper
methods of soil culture each year.
Under careless management, of course,
crops will deteriorate the same as an-
imals or men.

If, due to careless handling, farm
crops do run down or "run out," the
best thing to do is to run them out.
Dispose of the poor stuff and make a
fresh start with good seed from the
farm of a thrifty neighbor. Then
keep the seed good.

With tests of hundreds of varieties
of different classes of crops at the
experiment station at Ontario, Canada,
Ames and other places, where
reasonable attention was given to fan-
ning and grading seed each year, cases
of "run out" are practically unknown.
This has also been the case on all well-
managed farms, also.

With proper management and nor-
mal conditions the seed grown on the
farm should always be the best seed
for that farm.

LITMUS PAPER FOR TESTING

Easy Matter for Farmer to Ascertain
If Soils Are Acid—How Opera-
tion Is Performed.

Have you tested your soil for acid-
ity? Just a few cents' worth of blue
litmus paper will enable each farmer
to determine whether his soil needs
lime now. One of the easiest meth-
ods of testing is pointed out by M. A.
Bachell, of the Agricultural college
extension service, Ohio State univer-
sity. It is to go into a field when the
soil is moist, insert a knife blade into
the under layer of soil and place a
strip of the litmus paper in the open-
ing made by the blade. Then press
the soil firmly together on the paper
and let stand for 20 minutes. Then
remove the paper and notice its ap-
pearance. If delicate streaks of red
are found on the paper, lime should
be applied to correct the acidity. Or-
dinarily from two to four tons of
ground limestone will neutralize the
acids in soil.

FEEDING HOGS IN THE FIELD

Rape, Alfalfa and Clover Furlish
Ideal Combination—Keep Tank-
age in Self-Feeder.

A cornfield with rape either in the
field or along on side and alfalfa or
clover patch on the other side is the
most ideal combination imaginable for
feeding hogs in the field. In the ab-
sence of corn, alfalfa or clover, the
best substitute is rape.

Woman Past Help.

Chandler, Okla.—In a letter from
this place, Mrs. Ella Flowers says:
"I hardly know how to thank you
for the good that Cardui has done
me. Before I tried Cardui, I thought
I was past help, but after taking it
I was relieved at once, and gained at
least 10 pounds. Everybody says I
look so much better. I am still im-
proving greatly." Many women
are completely worn out and dis-
couraged, on account of womanly
weakness. Are you? Have you not
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the lawn mower."

Daily Thought.

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No. 51—St. L. Express 5:29 p. m.
No. 95—Dixie Flyer 9:35 a. m.
No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:00 a. m.
No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:36 a. m.
No. 91—Local Passenger, 8:55 a. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim. 5:29 a. m.
No. 52—St. Louis Express 9:54 a. m.
No. 94—Dixie Flyer 7:02 p. m.
No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.
No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail 10:19 p. m.
No. 90—Local Passenger, 4:32 p. m.
No. 51 connects at Guthrie for
Memphis and points as far south as
Erin, and for Louisville, Cincinnati
and the East.

No. 53 and 55 make direct con-
nection at Guthrie for Louisville,
Cincinnati and all points north and
east thereof.

No. 93 carries through sleepers to
Atlanta, Mecon, Jacksonville, St.
Augustine, and Tampa, Fla. Also
allman sleepers to New Orleans.
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animals require good feed to
properly thrive. Poor feed,
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from actual test to be a most
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our Supreme flour and Chicken
feed and the results will be
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Lard, pure leaf, pound.....	22 & 23c
Lard, compound, pound.....	17 1/2c
Cabbage, per pound.....	6c
Sweet potatoes.....	35c per peck
Irish potatoes.....	60c per peck
Lemons, per dozen.....	25c
Cheese, cream, per lb.....	35c
Cheese, Swiss, per lb.....	35c
Sugar, 100 pounds.....	\$8.25
Four, 24-lb sack.....	\$1.85
Corameal, tushel.....	\$1.50
Oranges, per dozen.....	30c to 60c
Turnips, per peck.....	35c
Black Walnuts, per peck.....	25c
Mixed Nuts, per lb.....	25c
Grape Fruit.....	5 to 20c each
Hickory Nuts per peck.....	35c
Cooking Apples per peck.....	40c
Wine Sap Apples per peck.....	65c to 75c
Celery per bunch.....	10 to 15c
Cranberries per qt.....	15c
Onions per pound.....	8c
Spanish Onions each.....	10 and 15c

Judge Gary's Recipe for Success.

In the January American Magazine Judge Gary gives his recipe for success. He says about a young man:

"1. He should be honest, truthful, sincere and serious.

"2. He should believe in and preach and practice the Golden Rule.

"3. He should be strong and healthy, physically and morally.

"4. His habits and mode of living should be temperate and clean and his companions selected with regard to their character and reputation.

"5. He should possess good natural ability and a determination constantly to improve his mind and memory.

"6. He should possess a good education, including particularly the fundamentals, such as mathematics, grammar, spelling, writing, geography and history; and also a technical education concerning the lines he proposes to follow.

"7. He should be studious and thoughtful, keeping his mind upon a subject until it is mastered.

"8. He should be conscientious, persistent, even-tempered, economical, faithful and loyal to his friends and the interests he represents."

Wornton now represent 15 per cent of the total number of the French railway employees.

PIANO-TUNING

WM. S. THOMPSON, the colored PIANO TUNER and REBUILDER you have heard so much about, will be glad to receive orders

OLDEST HUMAN SKULL

English Lawyer Who Unearthed Famous Piltdown Relic Is Dead.

(London Telegraph.)

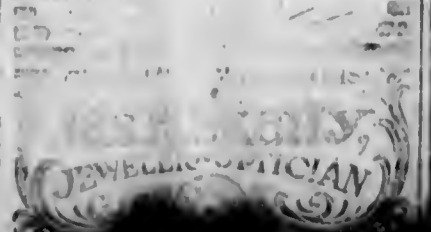
Charles Dawson, discover of the Piltdown skull, a solicitor, and for twenty-two years clerk to the Uckfield bench of magistrate is dead at Lewes. He was fifty-two years old. Seldom has any discovery aroused such interest in the world of science as that by Mr. Dawson of the Piltdown skull, which linked modern man very closely in some respects with the anthropoid apes, marking as it did, the most notable advance ever made in England in our knowledge of the ancestry of man.

Walking along the road from Lewes into the Weald, Mr. Dawson noticed that it had been recently mended by peculiar flints which he traced to a pit near Piltdown common. On examining the pit he found that laborers had dug out a "thing like a cocoon nut," and thrown the pieces on a rubbish heap. From that rubbish heap the greater part of a human skull was recovered, and the lower part subsequently dug from the undisturbed gravel. It is generally believed to be the skull of a woman, and the geological evidence of the stratum in which it was found shows that she lived at least as long ago as when the bed of the North Sea and the English Channel was dry land.

The skull was the oldest ever found, and belonged to the lowest type of human being. The woman could not speak more than a chimpanzee, which she probably resembled, though certain features in the brain which characterize the human race were just beginning to show. She probably belonged to a race of wandering hunters who had no domestic animals who were without knowledge of fire and who ate uncooked, unwashed vegetables and roots.

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SLIPPERY PLACES.

That Caused Many Proud Pedestrians to Be Brought To Earth.

The streets were covered with sleet all day Thursday and there were many falls of people and animals. Two serious accidents were reported, though many persons got bumps and bruises. A horse belonging to R. S. Ambrose broke a hip bone by a fall, but the animal was attended to by a veterinarian and may be saved. While the streets were at their slickest, Commissioner Bassett had several barrels of salt sprinkled upon them. This to some extent helped the situation in the shopping district. The sidewalks were so slick that a good many who were passing saloons slipped in.

Sterling Silver Pie Server. \$1.25 Hardwick's special.

HAVE MOVED.

Radford & Johnson, the real estate men, will move their office from corner of Ninth and Main to the Forbes office building, to be occupied next year by W. R. Wheeler & Co. They will have the room formerly known as the directors' room.

KILL THE PEST

War on The English Sparrow To Be Nation Wide.

The League of American Sportsmen, whose office is at 1,110 Simpson Street New York, has declared a war of extermination on the English sparrow and is prepared to continue the fight vigorously and aggressively three years if need be. It will require a large sum of money to carry on this campaign properly, and the league requests persons who are in favor of such a war to contribute to the fund now being raised for that purpose.

Checks should be made payable to the order of J. Adams Brown, President of the New Netherland Bank, 41 West 34th Street, New York, who is the Treasurer of the league, and who is well known in financial circles. Checks may mailed direct to him or to the league at its office as above.

G. O. SHIELDS, President.

Ivory Manicure Sets \$3.50 up Hardwick's

MORRIS-CANNON.

License to wed was issued yesterday to Lawrence Henry Morris and Miss Ethel Cannon, both of this city. They are each 20 years of age. The groom is a son of Charlie Morris and the bride a daughter of J. T. Cannon.

STILL HAVE HEARTS LEFT

Lieutenant's Story Shows That the Big War Has Not Completely Brutalized the Soldiers.

"It seems terrible to go on each day killing men you do not know, men for whom you have no personal hatred, and men you do not even see," says a German lieutenant of artillery. "Even at Verdun, where the fighting is in a very small radius, it is very rarely that one sees the enemy. We shoot all day long in a given direction, we point our guns at towers, steeples and stone walls, and they all fall down as though they were houses made of cards. The trees are all splinters and there is nothing left around but rubbish and piles of stones, and yet it is very seldom even in this barren landscape that a Frenchman is seen."

"Whenever I order a shot to be fired on a visible enemy I always think of the French captain we found lying in the road near Vaux. A bullet had gone through his back into his breast, which was swollen in a great lump. For three days he had been lying there, beside a dead man who had lost both legs. My men went over to him and gave him hot coffee and some bread. His thanks were most pitiful. He tried to kiss their hands and he insisted on giving one fellow his sword. Words cannot tell the agony he must have suffered in those three days. We had no time to do anything more for him—we did not even have time for our own men—but later I found our sanitas people took him to a field hospital. Our men who got acquainted with him said he was a splendid fellow."

NOT PLEASING HIM



"Is your husband difficult to please in the matter of dress?"

"Very. When I get a gown that he likes he doesn't like the bill, and when the bill suits him he doesn't care a rap for the gown."

AMERICAN HOMES TOO HOT.

Americans use too much heat. Their houses are too warm. They don't get enough of the cold in winter to strengthen their bodies, according to Dr. Arthur Still Craig, in the Osteopathic Magazine. His article is timely because of the rapid approach of fall.

"In England, France and Germany a great deal less artificial heat is used than in this country," he says, "reducing the amount of sickness and of money spent for coal. This economy is a splendid disease preventive. This is not a mere vagary of mine: I have tested this theory in part and expect to carry it out at fuller length."

STRIKING AN AVERAGE.

Nipp—That fellow Bighedde is generally disliked.
Tuck—Yes, but his opinion of himself brings the average pretty well up.

NOT ANY MORE.

"You used to give bread and pickles with this order."
"The old order changeth," was the waiter's reply.

VERY OBLIGING

"I just went up to Jones and told him I didn't like his face."
"What did he do?"
"He changed countenance."

FITTING EJACULATION

"I see where the British are now stopping consignments of false teeth to Germany."
"By gum!"

ITS NATURAL PLACE.

"How is this conference about Mexican?"
"On the..."

MOURN LOSS OF DOCUMENT

Catholics Appeal for Return of Washington Letter Taken From Archives at Baltimore.

The original of the letter addressed by George Washington to the Catholics of the United States, which disappeared from a safe-deposit vault under the sanctuary of the Baltimore cathedral, in which Cardinal Gibbons also has stored away important church documents, is believed to have been stolen by some overzealous collector.

In the Catholic Review a notice of the letter's disappearance is printed, together with the request that it be returned to Cardinal Gibbons. A letter found in the vault shows that this document was loaned by Archbishop Spaulding to John Gilmary Shea, a writer, in 1865. The article continues:

"Distinctly, there are no suspicions of its having been lost in that year. It is a document so dear to American Catholics that it should be located. And, what is more, it should be returned to its rightful possessor—the archbishop of Baltimore."

"It is therefore hoped that some overzealous historian, antiquarian or collector of documents will honestly return this letter to the archives of the Cathedral of Baltimore, where there will be joy in the archives over one antiquarian doing penance."

The loss was discovered in course of the work of indexing the documents in the vault.

VIEWPOINT



"Say, pa, what is your idea of the simple life?"
"Being allowed to sit around in my shirt sleeves, my boy, especially in summer."

PLAYTHINGS FOR LIONS.

Superintendent Anthony McNeally of the zoo tells me he decided to give Jim and Babe, the two big lions in the roundhouse, something to amuse themselves with, so the other day two wooden spheres about the size of the old-fashioned bowling balls were received. These were very gingerly placed in the cages. From the moment the big natives of the jungle got their first glimpse of them no three-ring circus ever held any livelier program. As a cat plays with a mouse, so did they knock about the balls of wood. The latter are indestructible, however, and try as hard as they may the lions cannot tear them to pieces.—Boston Post.

SMELLS LIKE A FIRE SALE.

The odor of a fire sale clings to the home of a Fulton man whose wife went visiting after she had been pressing up a few things with her electric iron. When she returned the iron had burned through the table, carpet and floor. The damage was not great when measured by actual loss, but everything in the house smells as if it had been bought at about 30 cents on the dollar.—Kansas City Times.

THE BORROW OF IT.

"Take away woman and what would follow?" howled the vinegar-visaged female who was lecturing on women's rights.

But, alas, poor thing!
No one answered.

Had she been a pretty, unobtrusive, womanly woman, she would have known without asking that man would follow.

THRIFT.

"What for does Donald tak' sic lang stries nooadays?"

"He says it disna wear oot his shoes sae quick."—Passing Show.

THE MEAN MAN.

"When can I buy that dream of a bonnet, hubby?" "When you go shopping while you're walking in your sleep, dear."

RED CROSS SEAL FIGURES

325,000,000 Holiday Stickers Already Distributed In United States.



Few people have any conception of the magnitude of the Red Cross Christmas Seal Campaign. Here are a few figures that will show what a gigantic movement this is. Already 325,000,000 Seals have been printed and practically that entire number distributed to agents in every state and territory of the Union from Alaska to the Canal Zone, from Porto Rico to Hawaii, and even in the far-off Philippines. Advertising circulars, posters, cards, etc., to the number of several million, have also been distributed. Not less than 1,000,000 personal letters asking people to buy Seals have been sent out. It is estimated that the army of workers, nearly all of whom are volunteers, engaged in selling the Seals numbers well over 500,000. The advertising and publicity devoted to the campaign amounts to several hundred thousand dollars. Every effort is being put forth to sell 100,000,000 Seals, or only one for every man, woman and child in the United States. This will mean \$1,000,000 for the anti-tuberculosis campaign in the United States. Over 1,500 anti-tuberculosis associations of the country derive their support from Red Cross Seals. If the good work is to go on, you must help.

Marie Antonette China Hardwick's.

HANDSOME SERVICE.

The silver service presented as a bridal present to Mr. and Mrs. Lucian M. Cayce, who were married last Wednesday, is one of the handsomest sets in this part of the State. It was presented by Messrs. Ed R. Tandy and Thos. B. Fairleigh, and the cost ran well up into the hundreds of dollars. Mrs. Cayce was Miss Bertha Jones, of Oak Grove, Ky.

The equestrian statue of Simon Bolivar, to be presented to the City of New York by the Venezuelan government, is to be made from a design by Mrs. Sally James Farnham, a New York sculptor.

Compare Hardwick's prices on Diamonds.

Got His Own Price.

W. W. Barbee, of Oak Grove, on Thursday sold his crop of 11,000 pounds of tobacco to the American Snuff Co. for \$12.50 round. He got his own price.

Hardwick's Sterling Twelve inch Cut Glass Hat Pins 25 cents a Vase at one dollar Hardwick's.



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MOVIES IN CHURCH

Paducah Congregation Decides to Have Up-to-Date Show.

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 22—The board of the Kentucky avenue Presbyterian church upon the recommendation of the pastor, Rev. J. D. Harley, voted to purchase a first-class motion picture machine and subscribe to a film service for use on Sundays at the church. The pictures will be of a nature sufficiently popular to draw the crowd. "I believe it will fill the church," said the Rev. Mr. Harley to a reporter, "and I consider it as legitimate as the spoken word in advancing church worship. We are going to get the best machine money can buy."

See Hardwick's windows for biggest \$1.00 Vase ever shown.

Coming to Hopkinsville.

W. J. Frances, who recently sold his business interests at Cerulean to T. O. Turner, has bought a residence on West Seventh street in Hopkinsville and will move his family to that city the first of the year. He will probably engage in business in Hopkinsville.—Record.

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CUT GLASS---Over 500 pieces to select from; every piece goes at 1-2 the retail price. German and Austrian China, over 200 pieces to select from, including Salads, Cake Plates, Berry Sets, Etc., all at 1-2 price.

IVORY and STERLING SILVER handled Carving Sets from \$3.00 up to \$25 value will go at 1-2 price.

Electroliers and Parlor lamps, entire stock will be sold at 1-2 price.

Chafin dishes, Casseroles and Percolators, all at 1-2 regular price.

THIS BIG SALE will continue through Christmas week or until all the above lines are closed out.

Florida Oranges, all sizes from 15c up. Small ones just as sweet as the larger ones. Can furnish all you need at the price. Special price per box.

Largest line of candy we have had for years, prices but very little higher than last year. Will make special prices to churches, clubs & etc. Store will be open Saturday night and every night next week for your Convenience.

Mixed Nuts 25c pound, all fresh, new stock. Plenty fresh Country Sausage, Back Bones, Spare Ribs, Fish, Oysters. Don't fail to visit our **BIG CHRISTMAS STORE**. Will be open Saturday night and every night next week for your convenience. Christmas goods delivered promptly.

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NEW OFFICES

Of the Forbes Manufacturing Co. Almost Ready.

The Forbes Manufacturing Co. is getting ready to vacate its office building on Main street next week and move the general offices to the office building on Virginia street, where some of the department heads have been located for several years. The cashier's office will be in the room formerly used for bath room.

It has been remodeled and the front window turned into a door. Railings have been put up and a very convenient office fitted up. The President's office will be in a private room adjoining. It will be a convenience to have all of the office business done in one building and it will make possible a considerable saving in the clerical force.

Special lot Serving Trays \$1 to \$1.50, just in, Hardwick's.

HAVE YOU MADE UP YOUR MIND?

I mean about the starving Armenians and Syrians? Christmas is right at hand, and our business and privilege is first of all to relieve the distressed and suffering. If there is a time in the year when we should think of others, it is at this season. The appeal from these starving millions is most piteous and insistent.

These homeless, penniless multitudes have no shelter, clothing or food. Until winter came on they ate grass and roots, but now the grass is dried up, and these emaciated, starving victims are eating carrion, street dogs, human flesh and grains of wheat or oats from dunghills; and the cry of rescue comes to us with a mighty pathos of humanity's deepest distress!

The pillage, deportation and massacre of the Armenians is the blackest page in modern times, and though we stop thinking about the heart sickening distress of these starving millions they do not stop dying! What are you going to do? Say, what are you going to do for them, Mr. Farmer, with your full barns and full pockets?

What are you going to do, Mr. Merchant with your big profits, and big bank account, luxuriating in the unprecedented prosperity that has come to you, and in the enjoyment of every domestic, social, civic, and religious privilege? And what are you going to do, Mr. Trader in tobacco, wheat, corn, mules, cattle, hogs, land and houses?

And you, Mr. Preacher, placed on the watch towers to see what sin has wrought, and what distress has followed, and to tell the people what you have seen? You who have been set over the people to lead them, to mould sentiment and to administer relief measures for the cure of the world's distress and suffering, what are you going to do? Are you going to be "a dumb dog" in the presence of earth's greatest tragedies? Or are you going to find a way and lead your flock in the ministry of relief?

And you, Mr. Levite, Mr. Church Member, Mr. Follower of the meek and lowly Jesus, what are you going to do! Are you going to decline to give this deep distress a serious thought and "pass by on the other side?"

It is no time for quibbling, hesitating, equivocating, or making excuses—"The Greeks are at our doors," "Charity begins at home," "We must look after our own poor." This is a world crisis, and we are all affected by it, and this stupendous sorrow and suffering call for our help. Now is our opportunity to save ourselves by helping these friendless millions now distressed and starving!

What are you going to do, men and women of Christian county and city of Hopkinsville, to relieve the anguish of these women and children in Armenia, Syria and Palestine at this holy season which commemorates Heaven's Best Gift to a lost world?

God loudly speaks to you.

"WHAT WILL YE DO WITH MY CHILDREN?"

"Thunders God's Voice today. Will ye let the millions perish, Or save them while ye may! If ye heed not the wail of my children,

Nor stop their hunger and pain, Ye shall answer to me in the future, Shall pray to me in vain.

Ye who are wrapped in plenty, Unless ye give from your store In bountiful, joyous measure, I shall answer your prayers no more."

"They have dared dispute my purpose

To foster the people's lust, Hath brutally torn my torches And quenched their flame in the dust.

Yet, ye who are guiltless—hearken! I shall scourge you with whips of wrath

Unless you rescue the children Who die in the cyclone's path. For they are thine, thy kindred, Thy children, as they are mine, Blood of thy blood, heart of thy heart, Linked by a tie divine.

Rouse from thy sleep, O, Nations, Gaze on the ruins and see—

Inasmuch as ye did this crime to these

Ye have done it, O, world, to me."

"Lo, from each wasted country Reaches a piteous hand;

Poland Armenia, Belgium, Where Mothers weep through the land;

World we are willing to perish If our little ones may live;

For they are the future's children, For them, we beseech thee, give!"

Mr. Ira L. Smith at the City Bank and Trust & Co., is the treasurer of this fund.

Lewis Powell for the Ministers Association.

DOGWOOD NOTES

Several farmers in this vicinity have sold their tobacco, but the season is very poor for stripping.

Hog-killing is the order of the day, most everybody having killed.

Mr. Alex Sneed and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with the family of Ernest King.

Mrs. John Frasier, of Greenville, spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Willie West.

Mr. Lloyd West is erecting a new house on his farm on the Johnson Mill Road.

Miss Gertrude King was in Hopkinsville shopping last Saturday.

The Modern Woodmen of this place held their regular meeting last Saturday and elected new officers for the ensuing year. They also had a rabbit barbecue.

The old black mule of the late E. M. Barnes, generally known as old Pat, died last Tuesday night, aged 36 years. She had been on the farm all her life, he had been with her. She had been a faithful servant since

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MRS. RABBETH Died Tuesday At a Sanitarium In Louisville.

Mrs. Ella M. Rabbeth, widow of the late John T. Rabbeth, died in Hazelhurst Sanitarium, Louisville, Tuesday, aged about 70 years. She was a native of this city and lived

here until a year or so ago, when her health began to fail. Mr. Rabbeth was for many years a miller of this city, but died in Louisville and was buried there. Mrs. Rabbeth was buried beside her husband in Cave Hill Cemetery. She was an aunt of Hugh R. Phelps, of this city.

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Frank DeGorge

WAR! What Is It All About?



HAS the whole world gone stark mad over a very foolish and trivial question? Are swords rattling, cannon rumbling, mailed armour clashing just because Russia wanted to show her love for the little brother—Serbia? Tear aside the curtain of Europe's politics and see the grim and sinister game of chess that is being played. See upon what a slim, yet desperate, excuse the sacred lives of millions are being sacrificed. Read the history of the past one hundred years, as written by some of the greatest authorities the world has ever known, and learn the naked, shameful truth. Just to get you started as a Review of Reviews subscriber, we make you this extraordinary offer. We will give to you

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GOOD RECORD FOR COLLEGE

Harvard Graduates With High Honors Who Are Regarded as Distinguished.

The list of the first ten scholars of each of the classes that were graduated from Harvard college in the sixth decade of the last century, presented by William Roscoe Thayer is a list of men eminent in every walk of life. Indeed, it is likely that the first quarter in scholarship of any school or college class will give to the world as many distinguished men as the other three-quarters.

What can we say in this connection of the 420 living graduates of the ten Wesleyan university classes from 1890 to 1899? Just this, says Harper's Magazine. Of the men in that group who were graduated with highest honors, 60 per cent are now regarded as distinguished either by "Who's Who in America" or by the judgment of their classmates; of those who were elected to Phi Beta Kappa—the scholarship honor society—30 per cent; of those who won no superior honors in scholarship, only 11 per cent. Of the men now living who were graduated from Wesleyan university between 1860 and 1889, 16 per cent are listed in "Who's Who"; of those who received high honors in scholarship during this period, 50 per cent; of those who attained no distinction as scholars, only 10 per cent.

ESKIMOS HAVE MANY GAMES

Also Are Said to Show Remarkable Proficiency in Contests That Call for Skill.

In the matter of amusements the Eskimos are not badly off. They have a form of the cup-and-ball game played there, the ball being a block of ivory with holes at different angles, into which one of the players strives to insert an ivory peg as the block falls, the position of the hole determining the value of the stroke.

Another game closely resembles dominoes, while, when they can borrow or purchase a pack of cards, the more intelligent of them will play with considerable skill; and they enjoy drafts, having learned these games from the whalers. They also have a game exactly like solitaire, with the exception that ivory pegs take the place of glass balls.

The special amusement of the women is a species of "cat's cradle," which has been brought to such perfection that they develop from the string twenty to thirty different figures in it. Indeed, they are extremely clever in performing tricks with string, winding and twisting a piece in and out among their fingers, and then disengaging it by a single pull of the end.

RANGE FINDING IN AIR OUELS.

A French writer on aircraft indicated the difficulty in finding the range in an air duel. If you have two machines flying in opposite directions each at a speed of 100 miles an hour and thus having a combined speed of 200 miles an hour the distance of the two machines varies at the rate of nearly 300 feet a second, which means, he says, that within the space of five seconds required for aiming after estimating the range the target is 1,500 feet closer than it was at first. If the trajectory of your missile is slightly too curved you will fire over the target.

MUST BE THE OTHER ONE.

Mrs. Nexdore—My daughter plays the piano. Perhaps you've heard her.

Mrs. Newcome (with great self-restraint)—I've heard the piano.

Mrs. Nexdore—Yes, my daughter Mary is very musical.

Mrs. Newcome—Ah! You have two daughters, then?—Musical America.

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"I thought you told me you played a leading part in this moving picture production."

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BILLY SUNDAY'S

— PRAISE OF MOTHERS

Boston, Dec. 20.

"The bravest battle that ever was fought, Shall I tell you where and when? On the maps of the world you'll find it not—"

"Twas fought by the mothers of men."

Thus Billy Sunday paid his tribute here to the mothers of the land when twice, afternoon and evening, to an aggregate of 26,000 people, most of them mothers, he preached his famous sermon on "Mothers." Under the spell of his sermon 1,002 men and women "hit the trail."

Here are some of the high lights of Sunday's sermon on "Mothers":

"I want to tell you women that fooling away your time hugging and kissing a poodle dog, caressing a Spitz, drinking a society bran mash and a cocktail and playing cards is mighty small business compared to molding the life of a child."

"Get the boys and girls started right and the devil will hang crepe on his door, bank his fires and hell will be 'for rent.'"

"The Bible should be on every teacher's desk, and the opinion of those who are opposed to it can go to perdition."

"If men had half as much grit as women there would be different stories written about a good many homes."

"If the mothers would live as they should, we preachers would have little to do."

"Most any old stick will do for a daddy; God is particular about the mothers."

"The devil gets in many a boy by getting in his daddy first."

"When a woman's heart and a baby's tears get tangled up together, something happens that gives the devil cold feet."

"If the devils in hell ever turned pale it was the day when mother love flamed up for the first time in a woman's heart."

"No woman has any more right to raise her children for pleasure than I have to pick your pockets or throw red pepper in your eyes."

"Being a king, an emperor or a president is mighty small business compared to being a mother or the teacher of children."

"If you want to find greatness, don't go toward the throne; go to the cradle, and the nearer you get to the cradle, the nearer to greatness."

Largest Pecan Tree.

An immense pecan tree on the place of W. A. Tonini, near Grandview, Ind., fell a week ago and being cut up, is said to have been six feet in diameter and, according to the rings, to have been more than 400 years old. The tree, which was visited two years ago by the officers of the National Nutgrowers' association, who made a trip from Evansville to see it, is thought to have been the largest pecan tree in the United States, which means the world.

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BLOOD ON WHITE FEATHER

Returned From Trench, to Girl in Melbourne Australia.

London, Eng.—A white feather, streaked with crimson by a Turk infantryman's bullet, has been sent back to the girl in Melbourne, Australia, who stuck it in a slacker's cap. There was no message with it. The man who sent it guessed she'd put it alongside the casualty list of Australians and draw her own conclusions.

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The slacker has passed beyond caring what she thinks.

The white-feather incident occurred about a year ago.

There was a young clerk in Melbourne who has good prospects in his job, the responsibility of caring for his invalid mother—and a girl. That was load enough for his mind, and he had a hard time keeping the issue separate while making out bills of lading at the office.

Australians were marching away by thousands. Every day saw some of his friends, calling around to say "so long" and to tell him significantly, "see you in Gallipoli." Then they would clump away in their heavy infantry boots to take ship for the war.

These things were worrying him one night when he dropped around to call. The girl met him at the door and told him all bets were off till he proved himself a man. She had three brothers at the front. With that she jabbed the white feather in his cap and banged the door.

Of course, he enlisted right away. A few months later back in the reserve trenches he received word that his mother had died.

That night when the gunning had died down to a minimum he opened up to his companions in the dugout; told the whole story in a regular brotherly sob meeting. While his romantic imagination bubbled highest he dug into the upper left pocket of his tunic, right over his heart, and produced a white feather.

Next day he fell, drilled clean through the heart.

So the friend fished out the feather, now stained red, and sent it to the girl in Melbourne.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Strangers in the city and the public are cordially invited to all services at the following churches:

Cumberland Presbyterian Church. J. B. Eshman, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:30. Preaching at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30. Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Morning Service 11:00 a. m. Evening Service 7:30. Christian Endeavor—7:00 p. m. Weekly Prayer Meeting Wednesday—7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. M. Thompson, Pastor. Services as usual.

Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Morning Service—11:00 a. m. Evening Service—7:30 p. m.

Second Baptist Church—Rev. W. R. Goodman, Pastor. Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Preaching—11 a. m. Preaching—7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 P. M. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night—7:30 p. m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Men's Bible Class—10:00 a. m. Morning Service—11:45 a. m. Evening Services 7:30 p. m.

Grace Church—Rev. Geo. C. Abbott, Rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 6:45.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Government Radium.

Uncle Sam is in the radium business. It was announced last year that the government was going to erect a plant and produce radium salts from mineral deposits on public land in Colorado and other western states. Now the federal bureau of mines report that the operations have been highly successful. The bureau has produced at a cost of \$340,000, radium which at market prices is worth \$1,000,000. Presumably its producing cost may be still further cheapened.

Uncle Sam isn't trying to make any money out of the industry. The wonder-working mineral is to be used for philanthropic purposes. It is being turned over to hospitals for experi-

mental use, particularly in the treatment of cancer. The project was undertaken at a time when the whole country was keenly interested in radium, as a possible cure for cancer and many other baffling diseases. There is less hope now in that direction. The medical profession seems more dubious regarding the supposed miraculous properties of radium. But it has been proved to be helpful, at any rate, in the treatment of certain diseases, and the medical scientists are going ahead earnestly with their experiments, with a view to fathoming all the curative possibilities. —Mayfield Messenger.

Credit.

Credit is the prolific parent of extravagance, and the piper has been sharp enough to find it out. He suffers those who dance to pay him some other day, with the result that they dance a good deal more than they otherwise would. Often they dance more than they can afford, but that's nothing to the piper.—Life.



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don't, then you have had the pleasure of looking through a well selected stock of Christmas Goods.

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Lovers of "The Beautiful" certainly have no cause for complaint against the weather clerk this month. Beginning on the 16th he has already handed out 13 inches of snow in three installments, each on an ascending or rather a descending scale. The first was 3 inches, the second 4 and the last 6 inches in depth.

The business of shoveling snow has become a profitable industry in the city and competition is so lively that the prices are reasonable and the snow ordinance is being generally observed. It requires snow to be removed from the sidewalks in five hours of daylight after it ceases falling. Yesterday morning on the principal streets, the work was practically completed by nine o'clock. Fortunately the snows have melted promptly and the wild birds have had a chance to find food, but many of the farmers have adopted the habit of feeding the birds on their places.

Rabbits are easily tracked in the snow and hundreds of them have been shot or caught and brought into market during the last week.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, ss.
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and

MARRIED THEIR
OWN WIVES

Two Iowa Young Men Come
To Kentucky to Get out
of Trouble.

A second marriage and that in Kentucky was what it required for two young couples who slipped into Henderson, secured licenses and were married by County Judge S. A. Young, Wednesday.

The law in Iowa prevents cousins from marrying, and these young people, two brothers, had married two sisters who were their cousins. The marriage ceremony was performed some weeks ago, and when the grand jury convened the four were promptly indicted.

When the true bill had been returned, the young people were taken before the court for trial. After some efforts had been made to get the young people out of trouble, the prosecuting attorney advised that if they would go to another state where the laws were different, get married there and return, the indictments would be dismissed.

Then it was that Ed C. Duckworth, age 25, and Nellie Jordan Duckworth, age 21, both of Creighton, Iowa, and C. H. Duckworth, age 30, and Covetetus Jordan Duckworth, age 22, both of Shenandoah, Iowa, decided to come to Kentucky to have the "knot" tied over again.—Gleaner.

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Lines to Be Remembered.
Let us not forget, and let us teach it to all, that there would be no dignity in life, that it would not be worth while to live, if annihilation were to be our lot. What is it which alleviates and which sanctifies toil, which renders men strong, wise, patient, just, at once humble and aspiring, hark! the perpetual vision of a better world, whose light shines through the darkness of the present life? For myself, I believe profoundly in that better world; and after many struggles, much study and numberless trials, this is the supreme conviction of my reason as it is the supreme consolation of my soul.—Victor Hugo.

Sterling Hat Pins, 25
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Extinguishing Burning Liquids.
Many people cannot understand why it is permissible to use water for extinguishing some burning liquids, and not for others. For instance, water is effective for extinguishing burning alcohol and acetone, but quite the reverse in the case of gasoline or oil. The difference lies in the fact that water mixes readily with the first two liquids, while gasoline and oil do not mix with water, but float upon its surface, and are thus scattered over a large area. However, the application of a very large quantity of water to a small quantity of burning oil may aid in extinguishing the fire by its cooling influence.

Varney-Williamson.
Chas. B. Varney, agricultural agent of Lyon County and a brother of K. L. Varney, who holds a similar position in Trigg, has gone to Pike county where he will be married next week to Miss Alice Williamson, a niece of Wallace Williamson, the Williamson, W. Va., millionaire just across the border from Pike.

Genuine Oil Paintings 75c
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Early Dynamos.
The principle of electro-magnetic induction, on which the operation of the dynamo-electric machine is based, was discovered by Michael Faraday in London in 1831. The first machine to give continuous current was that of Sir Charles Wheatstone, in England, in 1841. One of the

SAMPLE THE CITY'S DRINKS

Water Taken From the Ohio River at
Cincinnati Is Now Tested
Thrice Daily.

In the employ of the city of Cincinnati is a doughty knight of the sack who attends to the sampling of the water, which, after all, forms the basic drink of the city.

The water to be taken internally by Cincinnati is tested at least three times a day, in ordinary times, and oftener in seasons of high water and the like, explains Popular Science Monthly.

Regulation tests are made for both alkalinity and turbidity. After the analysis has been made there is dumped into the water sufficient quantity of iron to form ferrihydroxide (a jellylike substance), which settles out whatever there may be of impurity remaining.

That is to say, the water taken from the Ohio river by Cincinnati is first led into settling basins, where 60 to 65 per cent of the mud is removed by simple sedimentation. The water is then run to the filtration plants, where the sulphate of iron solution and the lime water are added. These chemicals react and yield the ferrihydroxide, which is insoluble in water. As a result the greater portion of all remaining impurity settles in the coagulating basins, as they are called. By this process perhaps 30 per cent of the original amount of mud and the like is removed.

The remaining 5 per cent to 10 per cent deposited is then filtered out by the sand filter and the water is then ready to drink.

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BITS OF NEWS.

Tokio licenses social evil.
Pittsfield, Mass., is to have a new city hall.
Kansas has only 572 licensed chauffeurs.
Indianapolis has a night school for foreigners.

Philadelphia mint reports shortage of small coins.
There are 84,000 licensed automobiles in Kansas.

St. Louis may acquire coliseum building as a gift.

New York is to have a new home for the blind in One Hundred and Ninety-third Street.

Girls of the University of Wyoming abstained from meat for one day each week and used the money thus saved to buy blankets for the varsity football team.

Miss Theresa Strecker, a blind girl, is in sole charge of the telephone exchange in the town of Milberger, Kan.

In the City of Toronto alone 3,500 women are now filling positions in banks which formerly were held by men.

Three thousand Canadian women are working in munition factories throughout the Dominion and this number is being added to every day.

Alaska has forbidden the employment in underground mines of boys under 16.

All white garments should be hung in the sunlight; colored garments in the shade.

Men's Belts Silver Buck-
els Hardwick's \$3.00.

Bolivian Finances.
The 1916 budget estimates of Bolivia, as published in the West Coast Leader, place the expenditures at \$8,700,000 (in round numbers) and the revenues at \$5,600,000, leaving a deficit of \$3,100,000. Deducting the discount on salaries recently authorized by the Bolivian government, amounting to \$600,000, a deficit of \$2,500,000 is left.

PURELY PERSONAL

Miss Dorris Clagget, who is attending Hamilton College, Lexington, is at home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Nuckols, of Louisville, have returned home, after a visit of a week to relatives in South Christian.

Judge C. H. Bush will go to Mayfield on Dec. 28th to hear two or three cases in which Judge Gardner is disqualified and cannot act.

Editor Orien L. Roark, of the Greenville Record, came over to hear Riccardo Martin sing, heading a party of ten or fifteen Greenville music lovers.

Mrs. Lucien Ruby went to Hopkinsville Monday to hear Riccardo Martin sing and visit her mother, Mrs. Lou West, for the remainder of the week.—Providence Enterprise.

Miss Marietta Merritt, who is teaching at Anniston, Ala., has arrived to spend Christmas with her mother.

Miss Gwyneth Bartley came up from Cadiz yesterday to spend the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. C. E. Vass, of Burgettstown, Pa., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ellis.

Miss Lelia May Wilson, of Gracey, is home from Washington, D. C., where she is attending Fairmont College.

Mr. W. G. Francis, a Cerulean merchant, will move to this city Jan. 1st.

Will J. Chiles, who is with Armour

& Co., has been transferred to a Southern territory, with Knoxville as his headquarters. He is one of their most valued traveling men.

S. Merrell Russell, Assistant United States District Attorney for the Western district of Kentucky, will leave this afternoon for his home at Elkton, Todd county, to spend the holiday season with relatives there. He will also visit in Hopkinsville.—Louisville Times.

Miss Marie Louise Taffy has returned from Georgetown College.

John P. Thomas is home from a Southern trip for the holidays.

Mr. R. L. Maxey, of Chicago, has joined Mrs. Maxey, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. F. L. Ellis.

Miss Lula Leigh Berry arrived from Shelbyville, Tenn., last night.

Miss Mary Baynham, who has been attending Normal School at Bowling Green, came home last night.

Miss Sarah Davis, who is attending college at Murfreesboro, Tenn., has returned home, to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. W. Young, near Howell.

Henry Eager, who is a law student at Ann Arbor, Mich., is visiting his mother for the first time in four years.

See The New Vanities 25c
at Hardwick's

Miss Anna A. Gordon, who has been re-elected president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, has been actively connected with the organization for forty years.

KENTUCKY LAWYER.

Who Is Getting Talked About
In Chicago.

Everett Jennings, formerly of Madisonville, seems to have caught on to Chicago ways without much delay. Two women had a shooting scrape over him and a big scandal is being aired in court. Miss Genevieve Irvine, his stenographer, fired several shots in a restaurant at Mrs. Hugh McLennan, as a result of jealousy. Mrs. McLennan's husband is suing for divorce and Miss Irvine is giving some very spicy testimony. She says Mrs. McLennan for a long time came regular to Jennings' office and she saw many shadow kisses in the private room when curtains were drawn. She also saw some things through transoms and keyholes and admitted on the stand that she knew all that took place. She heard them calling each other pet names, and saw them go out frequently for lunch. Everett seems to have developed into a pretty gay lothario, if half that has been published is true.

P. S.—He is a married man.

New shipment Sterling Hat
Pins 25c Hardwick's.

DISLOCATED BY A FALL.

Mr. Marion D. Meacham, an aged farmer whose home is a few miles west of the city, fell on the ice a few days ago and dislocated his shoulder. He is recovering from the injury.

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